

**DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN
APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 CFR 1.76)**

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**Title of
Invention**

MEDICAL DEVICE FOR NAVIGATION THROUGH ANATOMY
AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME

As the below named inventors, we declare that:

This declaration is directed to the invention titled: " MEDICAL DEVICE FOR NAVIGATION
THROUGH ANATOMY AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME"

We believe that we are the original and first inventors of the subject matter which is claimed
and for which a patent is sought;

We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including
the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;

We acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all
information known to us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for
continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the
filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of the
continuation-in-part application.

All statements made herein of own knowledge are true, all statements made herein on
information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made
with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or
imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and may jeopardize the validity of the
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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am an original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled MEDICAL DEVICE FOR NAVIGATION THROUGH ANATOMY AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME the specification of which is being filed herewith.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119(a)-(d) or Section 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or Section 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below, and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §120 of any United States application(s), or §365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the

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